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ARREST TOWNSEND ROBBERY SUSPECTS

ST. JOSEPH POLICE GET MEN IN ROUNDUP.

BROUGHT TO MARYVILLE

Walnick and Hetherington Both Have Penitentiary Records—Bail at $1,500.

Two young men giving their names as Albert C. Walnick and Arthur Hetherington, were arrested yesterday in St. Joseph and brought to Maryville, charged with the Townsend Wholesale Grocery Company robbery last Friday night, in which twenty-five cases of cigarets and several tins of tobacco were taken. They were placed in the county jail. Sheriff Steve A. Roach and Deputy Sheriff Leo Atherton brought the men from St. Joseph.

After a two-day roundup by the St. Joseph police detectives, seven suspects were arrested, including Walnick and Hetherington. Information which led to the arrest of these two men were obtained in a written statement by Ray Crawford, an employee in a garage, where a part of the loot was found.

According to Crawford's statement, these two men brought in some cases last Saturday and stored them in a locker in the garage with instructions to Crawford to watch them. Later in the day they came back and told Crawford to finish up the car he was working on so they might deliver five cases of the cigarets, which they had sold, to the Lee Hotel for $175. Others were sold to St. Joseph stores and the William Park's road house.

Eight cases have been recovered by the St. Joseph police and it is possible for them to recover more and perhaps the tins of tobacco. Crawford says that there were only fourteen cases of cigarettes, but Ferd Townsend states that a check up showed at least twenty cases missing. A reward of approximately $500 had been offered by Mr. Townsend and city authorities for arrest and recovery of merchandise.

Walnick and Hetherigton both have criminal records and are now out on parole. About two years ago they were convicted of transporting stolen goods and were sentenced to four years in the penitentiary, but were paroled after serving sixteen months, to the probation officer at St. Joseph. Both are young men about twenty-five years old.

Walnick, together with a man named Merscer, operate a small garage at twenty-sixth and Messanie streets at St. Joseph, the place where the stolen cigarettes were first taken. Merscher and Crawford were both arrested as suspects in the robbery and became tired of staying in jail and told of Walnick bringing in the stolen goods. Crawford even said that Walnick told him that he got the cigarettes from a wholesale house in Maryville. Neither men here would talk any in regard to the robbery.

The preliminary hearing was scheduled for 10 o'clock this morning in Judge Johnson's Justice of Peace Court but the arrested men asked that it be postponed until their attorney, Barney Riley, of St. Joseph could get here. The men were charged with burglary and larceney and their bail fixed at 1,500 each.

Riley had not arrived in Maryville at press time. In event that the paroles are revoked these men will be returned to the penitentiary to finish their four year sentences and will then have to be arrested and returned here for trial. On the other hand their paroles may be disregarded and they may be convicted here.

It is probable that their case will come before the circuit court next week.

NINE MORE SCHOOLS SAY THEY WILL ENTER FLOATS

Nine more schools signified their intention yesterday of putting floats in the parade of the Nodaway County School Day October 11, according to Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools. The schools are: Lasher, Miss Lola O'Day, teacher; Rockford, Rose Shinabarger, teacher; Peace and Harmony, Bessie Cottrell, teacher; Star, Mrs. Fred Peoples, teacher; Gill, Neola Saxon, teacher; Ireland, Iva Hartness, teacher; Excelsior, Nettie Moore, teacher; Casteel, Ruth Green, teacher.

Miss Betty Turner, executive of the Nodaway County Chapter, American Red Cross, went today to Parnell to do some Red Cross work. She worked Tuesday at Barnard.

PICTURES OF CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS IN CONVERSE BOOK

Copy Has Just been Received by the Bee Hive Shoe Store—Because Of Their Shoes

Maryville's two championship basketball teams of last spring—the girls of the State Teachers College and the Boys of the Maryville High School—were photographed and are now in the current issue of the Converse Basketball Year Book. The book has just been received by the Bee Hive Shoe store. The reason for the two teams being placed in the book was that the players of each were shod in Converse basketball shoes.

This year book goes to every section of the United States.

MORE THAN 1,000 AT STYLE SHOW

BIG WINDOWS WERE ATTRACTIVELY DECORATED

FROM REGULAR STOCK

Band Played and Miss Cloud Sang—Management Well Pleased With the Event

The showing of fall styles on living models in the show windows of Yehle Dry Goods Company last night was witnessed by a crowd of more than 1,000 and from the comment on the side lines it met with hearty approval of everyone.

This store is to be complimented as it takes a great deal of time and untiring effort on the part of the management and every employee of the store to make these events a success.

The large modern show windows were made even more attractive by the use of sumac leaves and haw sprays and fruit. Drapes from the home furnishing department were used in connection with floor lamps as a relief. Rugs and runners were used on the floors of the windows and on the platforms which were arranged in each window to bring the models in easy view of all. The styles shown, including hats, coats, dresses, sweaters stockings, shoes and slippers, glove and accessories, were all from the regular stock of the store and the models used with the exception of little Edith and Ethel Steele, Gertrude Hiatt and Gertrude Riffe, were the girls employed by the store.

The band was arranged on the side walk where it furnished a complete Thursday night program.

Miss Marie Cloud favored the audience with two vocal solos as a part of the entertainment, and both were appreciated greatly. Miss Alice Welling played the accompaniment on the piano.

The last scene of the Style Show, a snow scene, was a novel event. Artificial snow was forced into the window by an electric fan from an opening in the back of the window. Winter coats sweaters and knitted scarfs and caps, furs and other winter apparel were used in this scene.

An intervizew with C. W. Yehnle and L. B. Tracy this morning disclosed the fact that the management was delighted with the response of the people of this community in the event, and with the co-operation of the band, Miss Cloud and the employees of the store in making this event a success.

Misses Gertrude Condon, Epha Drumm, Mildred Nicholas, Kate Yehle Theresa Yehle, Hazel Clark and Mrs E. E. Rhoads had charge of the work of getting the models ready for the window. Byron Price and Mr. Tracy fitted the shoes and Eugene Yehle announced the events.

The following participated in the style event: Mrs. Blanche Lawler Mrs. Hazel Sturm, Misses Marie Cook Prudye Saunders, Irene Babb, Ethel Muntz, Charity Wiseman, Floy Saunders, Gertrude Hiatt, Gertrude Riffe Fay Castello, Pearl Booth, Aline Greeson, Irene Tobin, Lena Tarpley, Ina Hallowell, Marie Sturm, and Ethel and Edith Steele, the small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Steele.

MARYVILLE CHAPTER, D. A. R., TO GIVE $10 FOR FLOAT

The Maryville Chapter of the daughters of the American Revolution will give $10 in gold to the rural school having the best float depicting an episode of Revolutionary history in the parade on Nodaway County School Day, October 11. A special committee has been appointed to act as judges as follows: Mrs. George H. Colbert Mrs. Le Grand Gann and Mrs. J. A. Speirs.

ROSEBERRY MADE COUNTY PRESIDENT

OTHER OFFICERS ARE ELECTED AT CONVENTION

A BIG REPRESENTATION

Many of Those Who Attended Were Officers and Teachers in the County

G. B. Roseberry was elected president of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association at the close yesterday afternoon of the 2-days' convention that was held in Maryville. R. C. Seals wa sthe retiring president and held the office throughout the past year. Mr. Roseberry served throughout the past year in the capacity of head of the young people's division and has been an active worker.

The other officers elected follow: Vice-president, C. C. Leeson; secretary, Miss Eva Davis; treasurer, Miss Dessa Gault; children's division, Mrs. L. E. White; leader for boys of the young people's division, E. P. Tygart; leader for girls of the young people's division, Miss Bertha Anderson; adult superintendent, Miles Spargur; administration superintendent, Frank Barrett. All the newly elected officers are residents of Maryville with the exception of Mr. Spargur, who lives at Sheridan, and Mr. Barrett, who lives at Skidmore.

Out of the fifty-seven Sunday schools of the district thirty-nine were represented in the convention. One hundred and two persons outside of the ninth district, which comprises Polk township, registered.

Sunday school workers of the county say that they are well pleased with the convention and feel that it was a successful one.

Sterling L. Williams, state young people's leader for the Sunday school association, said after the convention was over that he found the interest remarkably good among the delegates. He said that he had expected to see a larger crowd at the convention here but that most of those who attended were teachers or officers in the Sunday schools of the county and that they were the kind of persons that would get most good from the convention.

No definite arrangement was made for the convention for next year as to time or place.

DOUBLE FUNERAL FOR SISTERS AT ST. PATRICK'S TOMORROW

Mrs. John R. Kane Dies Just Twenty-Seven Hours After Mrs. Katherine McMonigal.

Mrs. John R. Kane died at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon at her home, 623 East First street, just twenty-seven hours following the death of her half-sister. Mrs. Katherine McMonigal. Death was due to complications resulting from a stroke of apoplexy, which Mrs. Kane suffered May 18. Since that time she had been partially paralyzed.

A double funeral service for the sisters will be held at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Mrs. Kane's maiden name was Frances Romasser and she was born in Sheldon, Wyoming County, New York, sixty-four years ago. She had resided in Maryville since 1883, coming here from New York.

She was married to John R. Kane in Maryville June 1, 1892, who, with one son, Charles Kane of Chicago, survives. Mrs. E. C. Mack of Maryville is a surviving half-sister. Charles Kane arrived yesterday morning from Chicago and his wife had been at Mrs. Kane's bedside since last Friday. Other relatives who will be here for the funeral are Mr. Kane's brother, James Kane, and Mrs. Kane of Denver, Colo., and his sister, Miss MammieKane of St. Joseph

Mrs. Kane was an active member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and was a member of the Women's Catholic Order of Forresters.

Miss Key To Excelsior Springs

Miss Opal Key of Maryville left this week for Excelsior Springs where she has been employed to teach English and history in the high school. Miss Key is a graduate of the State Teachers College and taught in the Guilford High School last year.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Carter of Burlington Junction were in Maryville yesterday afternoon.

JUDGE JOHNSON HAS TIED 599 MATRIMONIAL KNOTS

Is Anxious to Make One Today to Complete 600—Who Will this Couple Be?

Do you know of anyone that is anxious or will even consider getting married today? If you do Justice W. L. Johnson would greatly appreciate it if you would send him around. He wouldn't object to more than one couple, of course, but he would like to perform one ceremony today for he has officiated at 599 of the aforesaid ceremonies during his career as justice, of course, but hewould like make it 600 today. He doesn't just remember when he started his career as the "Marrin' Justice," but he holds a unique record in the number of matrimonial knots tied.

It will be a good story for some couple to tell to their children and grandchildren that they were the six-hundredth couple married by the Squire. Who will be the lucky ones?

20TH CENTURY CLUB IN FIRST MEETING

ELECT DELEGATES TO FEDERATION MEETING IN ST. JOSEPH

$10 FOR PARADE FLOAT

This Amount to Be Given School That Best Depicts Episode of Missouri History

The executive board of the Twentieth Century Club held its first meeting of the year yesterday afternoon at the Elks Club, with the president, Mrs. D. R. Baker, presiding. Twenty-three members responded to the roll call.

After the usual routine of business the board elected the following delegates, Mrs. Dan Baker, Mrs. M. A. Peery, Mrs. H. R. Juvenal and Mrs. G. B. Holmes of St. Joseph, with Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. C. F. Remus, Mrs. Arthur Brewer and Mrs. Harry Todd as alternates, to attend the meeting of the first district of federated clubs which will convene Friday and Saturday. October 13 and 14 at the Y. W. C. A. in St. Joseph. Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, who is secretary of the first district, will also attend.

The state board and the state chairman of the six departments, as well as the presidents of the nine districts will take part in the program; so the delegates will have the unusual opportunity not only of hearing and meeting these people but will doubtless be able to take up with them any phase of work in which the club members are especially interested. The delegates were instructed by the board to extend an invitation to the members of the first district of federated clubs to meet in Maryville October, 1923. Ten cents per capita was voted for the upkeep of the rest rooms in the court house.

Many of the members agreed to solicit their street and neighborhood for the Salvation Army drive which occurs October 9-16.

$10 in gold will be offered to the rural school for the best float depicting an episode of Missouri history. Mrs. W. C. Pierce of the arts and crafts department, Mrs. J. C. Allender of the tourist department and Mrs. Harry Todd of the music and literature departments were appointed judges to award this prize.

Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., Mrs. R. C. Person, Mrs. Fred Wolfers, Mrs. Harry Snyder, Mrs. O. D. Walker, Miss Katherine Helwig and Miss Eva Dawson were elected to membership.

Many othe rphases of club work were discussed and all were enthusiastic over securing a club house or community building.

The board adjourned to meet January 25 when a luncheon will be given at the home of Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

JUDGE JAMES H. WILKERSON COUSIN OF ELMO WOMAN

U. S. Judge James H. Wilkerson, of Chicago, is a cousin of Miss Alberta Wilkerson, principal of the Elmo high school.

Judge Wilkerson is a native of Andrew County, Mo., and got his high school education at Savannah, where his father was superintendent for several years.

He is the U. S. Judge, who sat on the bench in Chicago at the time the U. S. Government obtained an injunction against the striking railroad shopmen charged with obstructing interstate transportation.—Elmo Register.

SPRINGFIELD 33 TO MARYVILLE'S 6

WEIGHT AND BREAKS IN FAVOR OF S. W. MO. S. T. C.

TOUCHDOWN FOR WILSON

Was Probably the Hardest Team Bearcats Will Go Against This Year

The State Teachers College football team lost its first conference game of the season yesterday afternoon at Springfield when the State Teachers College team of that city won by a score of 33 to 6. Weight and the breaks of the game played an important part in the victory. Springfield wasn't exactly lucky, but there were times when fortune smiled on her from ear to ear.

The Maryville touchdown was made when Lon Wilson, halfback, intercepted a forward pass and ran fifty yards through a broken field for a touchdown. Wilson caught the ball at his very shoe strings and after scooping it up he evaded three tacklers and planted the oval behind the goal line.

Wilson and Messmer were the individual stars for Maryville. The former was a consistent ground gainer and his tackling was hard, fierce and accurate. Messmer, the "Big Horse," played well at right tackle. Time and again he broke through the line to nail the runner and he could always be counted upon to make a hole for the backs. He played under the handicap of a bad ankle which he received in the game with St. Joseph last Saturday.

However, every man on the team played good ball. Webb, who was substituted for Steiger at left end, performed well. He did some good tackling and spiking. Beck, Foreman and Miller all played good ball in the backfield. Miller got his kicks away good and made some nice gains through the line.

The Springfield team outweighed the locals by pounds. The team that went on the field against the Bearcats was a great deal larger than Coach Maynor's aggregation. In addition the Springfield coach has a line of substitutes apparently as good as his first string men. This year he has six teams out for football every day. That means that sixty-six football players are to be picked from. There are not many more men than this in attendance at the College in Maryville.

The game yesterday was probably the hardest that the Bearcats will play this season. Springfield and Kirksville are rated as the possible leaders of the conference. The Bearcats play Kirksville next week at Kirksville. This game will be another hard one for Coach Maynor's men.

Seventeen men made the trip to Springfield. The line-up that started the game yesterday was: Kirby, e; Graham and Barclay, g; Messmer and Akars, t; Steiger and Mapel, e; Beck, qb; Miller and Wilson, hb; Foreman, fb. The substitutions were: Webb for Steiger, Thompson for Mapel, England for Barclay, Barclay for England, Hays for Barclay, England for Akars.

The game was refereed by C. E. McBride, sports editor of the Kansas City Star.

MISS NORA MERRIGAN DIES AT HOME SOUTHEAST OF CLYDE

Funeral Services Will be Held at 9:30 o'Clock Tomorrow Morning.

Miss Nora Merrigan, about 25 years old, died at 12:30 o'clock last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Merrigan, seven miles southeast of Clyde, following a prolonged illness. She had been in poor health for the last three years and had been bedfast for five weeks, her condition taking a turn for the worse last Friday.

The funeral will be held at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow at the Immaculate Conception Church and burial will be in St. Colombia cemetery.

Besides her mother, she is survived by three sisters and four brothers. They are Miss Katherine Merrigan of Kansas City, Misses Esther and Mary Merrigan, at home, Clarence Merrigan of Stanberry, Robert and W. L. Merrigan of Clyde and Pat Merrigan, at home. Her father died about a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Doyle and their daughters, Mrs. Guy Aley and Mrs. L. A. Neidel, motored to St. Joseph yesterday on business.

WAY PAVED FOR NEGOTIATIONS ON THE BRITISH DEBT

Communications from Other Nations to Be Considered—An Executive Session

Washington, Sept. 29—The American debt funding commission meeting today at the treasury department paved the way for negotiations to be opened next month for the adjustment of Britian's 5 billion dollar debt to the United States and to consider communications from other debtor nations. The session was executive but it is understood that an agreement was reached and that notice was sent that the British commission is ready to receive the British debt spokesman.

CONSTANTINE HAS NOW LEFT GREECE

PREPARING TO DEFEND THRACE AGAINST THE TURKS.

WANTS ALLIED SUPPORT

Rome Wants Allies to Prevent Revolutionists From Trying to Hold Territory.

Athens, Sept. 29—Constantine, abdicated King of Greece, with former Queen Sophie, Prince Nicholas and Prince Andrew, secretely boarded a warship and departed to some unknown destination, it is reported today.

Revolutionary leaders are in a meeting discussing plans for military defense in Thrace against the Turks and the recall of former Premier Venizelos. Political circles believe that the reign of King George will be brief and that a Republic will be established. Venizelos will possibly be the first president if the republican faction is successful.

Paris, Sept. 29—Former Premier Venizelos of Greece arrived at noon today from Deauville and is seeking allied support for the revolutionary movement in Greece. It is understood that he plans to confer with the French foreign office officials in an effort to reconcile them to the Greek revolutionary plan to defend Thrace against Turkish occupation.

Rome, Sept. 29—Italy today informally requested the allied powers to prevent the Greek revolutionaries from an attempt to hold Thrace against Turkish occupation. Italy fears if the Greeks attempt to bar the Turks that the Balkans are threatened with a new war.

Constantinople, Sept. 29—A revolution exists in Greece because of the addication of King Constantine. There is a determination among the revolutionaries to defend Thrace against the Turks, it is reported. The addication of Sultan Mohammed VI complicated the near East situation. It is impossible today to forcast war or peace. The Sultan abdicated in favor of his cousin, Prince Abdul Medjid Effendi, a nheir. The sultan is sick and in seclusion.

FEAR OF THE RUSSIAN ARMY GROUNDLESS, SAYS ROTHESTEIN

British Cabinet Has Been Considering Each Day the Cause for the Turkish Delays

London, Sept. 29—The British officials fear that the reorganization of Red Russion army means a Russian military and for the Turks is groundless, Alex Rothestein, representative of the Moscow government, declared today. The British cabinet fearing Mustapha Kemal Pashas' delays in answering the peace note were made for the purpose of strengthening the force around the allied neutral zone, is meeting daily to consider plans.

LABORITES DEMAND DISMISSAL OF PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE

London, Sept. 29—Dismissal of Premier Lloyd George is one of the demands contained in a manifesto circulated by independent laborites today. The manifesto charges capitalism is dictating in the Near East policy. It asks recognition of the Turkish peace conditions, an immediate peace conference and a summonings of the British parliament.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corken and daughter, Mrs. O. V. Rickman and little son of Pueblo, Colo., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goforth, went to Hopkins this morning to attend the Hopkins jubilee.

SULTAN OF TURKEY ABDICATES THRONE

QUITS IN FAVOR OF COUSIN AND HEIR—APPARENT

A CONCILIATORY NOTE

Kemal Says That the Troops Will Advance no Further—Not Acceptable to British

Paris, Sept. 29—Mohammed VI, sultan of Turkey, has abdicated in favor of the heir-apparent, Prince Abdul Medjid Effendi, according to a report sent by the Havas correspondent at Constantinople.

Prince Abdul Medjid, who is a cousin of the sultan, was born in 1868.

Constantinople, Sept. 29—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Turkish Nationalists and president of the national assembly of Angora, today sent a communication to General Harrington informing him that the Turkish troops are under orders to hold the positions already occupied in the neutral zone of the Turkish straits. The communication is said to be conciliatory in tone, indicating that a conference to reach an agreement may be called soon. Kemal said that the troops are instructed to advance no further, indicating that the Turks will not attempt to force a way across the straits into Europe.

London, Sept. 29.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha's note to General Harrington is not acceptable to the British government, it was stated here tonight. The Turks must leave the neutral zone but General Harrington is instructed to use his discretion on the time limit for withdrawal.

TWO MORE ARRESTS ON INDICTMENTS BY GRAND JURY

Frank Scull and Dave Nelson on Gaming Charges—Several Cases Disposed of.

Several cases were disposed of today in circuit court either by continuation or settlement or decree granted. Two more arrests on indictments by the grand jury were made. They were Frank Scull and Dave Nelson on gaming charges. Both plead not guilty and were released on bond.

The following cases were disposed of by the court: C. M. Hartness vs. L. L. Clary, suit on account, case settled and dismissed.

Louisa Bleich was given a certificate of citizenship, being the final papers of naturalization.

Bessie Pearl Humphrey granted a divorce from Everett Earl Humphrey and restoration of her maiden name of Bessie Pearl Davis.

Louisa Ricketts granted a divorce from Roland Ricketts and restoration of her maiden name of Louisa Hinton.

James Stafford vs. Andy Graham, judgment of the justice of peace court affirmed.

The Andrew-Nodaway drainage district against Ed H. Jones back tax, continued.

The case of Thomas C. Cooper vs. Ward J. Lininger for damages, continued.

Townsend Wholesale Grocery Company vs. F. C. Wilson, on account, continued.

Florence Goff awarded divorce and temporary alimony of $50 and attorney fees of $100 from Cleve T. Goff.

Visiting at Nicholas Home.

Mrs. N. K. Manning of Colorado Springs, Colo., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas on East Third street. Mrs. Manning has been visiting relatives in Burlington Junction for a month.

Mrs. F. P. Robinson and daughter, Miss Virginia Robinson, went to Kansas City yesterday to spend several days with the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller.

Reimer Entertains Band.

T. F. Reimer of the Re imer market entertained the members of the Maryville Concert Band in the Tea Room of the Yehle Dry Goods Company last night after the weekly band concert.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Saturday somewhat cooler Saturday.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Democratic Ticket

For Senator in Congress—James A. Reed.

For Representative in Congress—William E. Spratt.

For State Superintendent Schools—Charles A. Lee.

For Judge Supreme Court (Division No. One)—William T. Ragland.

For Judge Supreme Court (Division No. 2) (two to elect)—Robert F. Walker, John T. White.

For Judge of Circuit Court, 4th Circuit—John M. Dawson.

For State Representative—William Job.

For Presiding Judge County Court—Henry Heitman.

For Judge County Court (South District)—Grant Comer.

For Judge County Court (North District)—Clyde Melvin.

For Clerk of County Court—Mrs. Cora Bell Clary.

For Clerk of Circuit Court—Virgil L. Rathbun.

For Prosecuting Attorney—William G. Sawyers.

For Recorder of Deeds—Mrs. Mamie E. Clardy.

For Judge Probate Court—Jesse F. Robertson.

I hereby announce myself as Republican candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Nodaway County, subject to the decision of the voters at November election.

G. B. ROSEBERRY.

EMULATION IN INDUSTRY

While the socialists attack the competitive system in industry it is true that nothing will arrounse so much spiri t and increase production so much as the element of emulation and rivalry. A man needs to measure his own achievement against that of some one else.

This element is so deep in life that it affects even the dumb animals. A lazy old horse may be plugging along half asleep along the road. Let some faster nag pass him, and old Dobbin will awake and show speed.

In the old days on the farm, the hands would rival each other in seeing which could mow the longest swath in the least time. Men in those days used to mark down in chalk on the walls of their workshops the big days' work they had performed, and efforts were constantly made to improve on these records.

Much use is made of this spirit of emulation nowadays in raising funds for philanthropic enterprises and civic projects. The workers divided into rival teams, vie with each other in intense competition to see which shall gain the most subscription.

In modern industry there is a tendency for the day's work to be standardized, and capable men who show a tendency to speed ahead and to turn out a larger quantity, are often cautioned by their comrads not to work too hard and set too fast a pace. Efficiency systems are looked at with suspicion by many, on the ground that they drive the work and exhaust his vitality. There is such a thing as over speeding, but it is also harmful not to encourage men to do their best.

Competition, emulation, and rivalry, constitute an essential element in the progress of society, and they act as a stimulus to ambition. The people in any industry who put brains into their work, in the effort to attain superior results, ought to be well rewarded therefor. Those who fail to make an earnest effort must expect to fall behind and can not expect to attain any gerat success. Men and women were never meant to jog along in life without any goal of achievement.

Senator Reed has stated his position on the Volstead act and it will be up to Mr. Brewster now to find himself.

Some people seem to think that everybody on a railroad train got on expressly to hear them talk.

One of the issues of the campaign seems to be whether it is best to have beer and light wines or hootch and light fines.

A local citizen, who looks to be under good control, says that this is the age when women can make their husbands mind but not their children.

A lot of men become famous by expressing some thought that many other men had thought out before but never made known to the world.

Andy Gump, the people's candidate for Congress, says "It doesn't matter where you start, it is where you land." Many a man gets a favorable start that somehow is never able to land.

Here's a toast that might be adopted by some of the candidates for office on both tickets: "Here's to you as wet as you are; here's to me as dry as I am; but, as dry as I am, and as wet as you are, I am as wet as you are as dry as I am."

Most statesmen and a lot of other people get the idea that the only way to save the nation is through some kind of an appropriation. The fact that the Government is running behind at the rate of $670,000,000 per year doesn't seem to be of any particular importance.

The courts of New Jersey have a particular case to settle. A wife has sued her husband for non support. He earns $100 per month and she has an income of $700 and drives a big motor car. He declares that it takes all of his hundred dollars to keep up the car and there is nothing left for her support. The court will be asked to determine whether a man with an income of a hundred dollars can be compelled to support a wife with seven hundred and a motor car or whether he shall just support the car.

FORREST HANNA QUITS HIS RACE FOR JUDGE

Has Entered Into a Law Partnership With L. E. Durham and R. J. Ingraham

Forrest Hanna of Kansas City, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna of Maryville, has entered into a law partnership in Kansas City. The following is from Thursday's Kansas City Star:

Forrest Hanna, in a letter today to Cameron L. Orr, prosecutor, asked to be relieved of his duties as second assistant prosecutor. Mr. Orr said he would accept Mr. Hanna's withdrawal as effective October 1.

Almost simultaneously Mr. Hanna withdrew from the Republican county ticket as candidate for division No. 2 of the circuit court, now presided over by Judge O. A. Lucas.

Mr. Hanna recently entered into a law partnership with L. E. Durham and R. J. Ingraham under the firm name of Durham, Hanna & Ingraham. The new connection is believed to have actuated both resignations. In a letter to William E. Morton, chairman of the Republican county committee, Mr. Hanna said he was withdrawing his candidacy "on account of private matters which made it impossible for me to remain on the ticket."

It will now be for the county committee to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Hanna's withdrawal. Mr. Orr said Hanna had talked of resigning from the prosecutor's office some time. The prosecutor spoke highly of Mr. Hanna's ability as an assistant to him.

Recruiting Station in St. Joseph

The U. S. Navy has opened a recruiting Station in the Postoffice at St. Joseph, Mo. to enlist men between the ages of 18 and 35 years.

Life in the Navy means:

Good pay

A chance to learn a trade

Travel over the 7 seas

A secure future with the benefits of retirement after 16 years of service.

The Navy has no lay-offs.

Here is a fine position in an honorable service offered you, don't overlook this opportunity for advancement.

For information and pamplets, address: U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, St. Joseph, Mo.

Roy Otis To Go Home

Roy Otis of Lancaster, Pa., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Otis, will leave tonight for his home. Mr. Otis is manager of the J. C. Penney Co. store at Lancaster and came here from St. Louis, where the J. C. Penny managers have been in convention for the past week.

Forumettes

That fool is a wise
Man who has sense
Enough to keep that
Fact to himself.

There is one thing every Maryville woman knows how to do and that is how to manage daughter's husband.

The frost will be on the pumpkin soon and the fodder is already in the shock but not much of the coal is in the bins, judging from what people tell us.

With these advancing times another honest workman has lost his job. No longer does that picturesque individual seen crawling up the ladder with his burden of bricks or mortar. Now the elevator supplies the masons.

Uncle Abner, the philosopher, says the average man's idea of injustice is the way the world treats him.

There are some men who pose as wrestlers who can't even throw dice our friend at a cigar counter tells us.

One of our much-married friends says the only thing his wife ever took up he suggested was his proposal of marriage.

Girls grown older and wiser are still seen on the streets carrying the debutante slouch of several years ago. They can't shake it off after practicing it for so long, the observer of the passer by tells us.

Suggested motto for the average person "Mind Your Own Business".

Louise, the stenographer, says a lot of men she knows must have a screw loose as they are so easily rattled.

The reason the average man spends twice as much as he should is because he earns only half as much as he thinks he should.

We asked our neighbor's little boy the other evening as we passed him on his way home from school if he knew the meaning of the word hypocrit. "A boy who goes to school with a smile on his face" he answered.

Vagrant Musings.

A lot of footprints on the sands of time seem to be headed in the wrong direction.

When a man's wife asks him to meet her down town he always wonders what it is going to cost him.

A lot of people are starving today feeding on tomorrow's hope.

We suppose you should refer to a man who is minus his front tooth as a "back biter".

Love and reason seldom are on good terms.

Life's Ironies.

To hasten home from the "lodge meeting" so wife will not scold us for being so late and find that she has not yet arrived home from her club meeting.

LONE VALLEY ECHOES.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bailey and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zook from Thursday until Saturday evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Walters and family called Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zook.

Mrs. Margaret Latimer and son, Ivor, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Latimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zook spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartness and daughter, Mary Margaret, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hartness of Maryville.

Mrs. Mary Chambers and son, Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Carter and family of Pickering were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartness and daughter, Mary Margaret were dinner guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones and daughter, Mary Elizabeth of Maryville.

Will Reed lost a horse Wednesday night with blood poison.

Harry Zook is getting a carload of corn shelled to ship to St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Heman Sears were trading in Maryville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Shanks and Lester Piveral were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner. Afternoon guests at the Wagner home were Mrs. Mary Wagner and daughter, Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Latimer and daughter, and Miss Hazel Burke were supper guests of Mrs. Margaret Latimer and son, Ivor Wednesday evening.

Harry Zook sold and delivered a horse to Hopkins Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Van Pelt and children went to Forest City Saturday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Curtis Campbell. Mr. Van Pelt motored to Forest City Sunday and was accompanied home by his wife and children.

Frank Van Pelt spent Wednesday with his aunt, Mrs. John Knisley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones and sons, were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. John Knisley.

Mr. and Mrs. Enis Pence and sons were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Pence's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coulter of Elmo. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Workman were afternoon guests at the Coulter home.

Mrs. Margaret Workman and son, Gene, were Maryville visitors Wednesday.

Miss Mae Pierson spent Sunday with Ona Combs.

Merle Britton and George Kunkel were Maryville visitors last Friday.

A birthday dinner was given Sunday at the home of Walter Combs in honor of Mr. Combs and son, Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Enis Pence and sons spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Coulter, helping them thresh.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carmichael and George Kunkel went to New Market, Iowa, Sunday to attend a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dougherty. The dinner was given in honor of Mrs. John Carmichael and George Dougherty.

Graham

Misses Florence and Lura Gaddy entertained Sunday at dinner in honor of their niece, Mrs. Ted Wright of Haigler, Neb. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lawrence and daughter and Misses Hattie and Rinda Linville.

Harry Wright took a car load of hogs to St. Joseph Wednesday. Clay Holliday took a car of cattle Monday and Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Clay Holliday spent the day in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilcox and baby and Mrs. Hughes of New Market, Ia., spent Sunday at the Harry Wright home. Mrs. Wilcox is a niece of Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Wright's step-mother.

Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will meet Thursday afternoon at the parsonage. Rev. Francisco preached his first sermon Sunday morning since his return from conference. Mrs. Russel Rowlett gave a musical reading that was greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Ted Wright and Miss Lura Gaddy visited Mrs. James Lawrance Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hutchinson and daughter of Beatrice, Neb., are spending a few days with Sam Hutchinson, Mrs. Clay Holliday and Mrs. Amos Hutchinson.

Sam Hutchinson went to Kansas City on business Wednesday and Mrs. Hutchinson and daughter are visiting a few days with Mrs. Carl Helzer.

Rose Geyer and Ellen Daise made a trip to Maitland Wednesday evening and we understand they were hunting something to drink—most likely it was cider.

Long Winter evenings are coming, buy a Radio.

Don't Sell Your Poultry

Until After
December 1st

As every farmer has plenty of corn, we would advise feeding poultry until after December 1st. The market is flooded now and will go lower unless receipts fall off.

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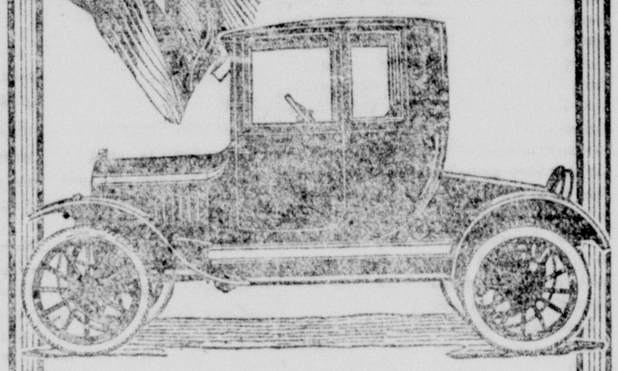

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Society

W. R. C. Meeting

There will be a meeting of the W. R. C. at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in K. P. Hall. All members are requested to be present.

Celebrate Three Birthdays.

Three members of one family celebrated their birthdays Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott at Maryville. G. L. Yaple was 57 years old that day, Louis Houston was 17, and Paul Foster Scott was 7. A family dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott in observance of the triple celebration. — Burlington Junction Post.

Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Blaine Archer entertained with two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home in the Borrusch flats. The favor for high score was won by Mrs. T. L. Wadley. The rooms were attractively decorated in varicolored autumn flowers. The guests included Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. Eldon Irvin, Mrs. Sherman Montgomery, Mrs. Frank Cummins, Miss Marguerite Cummins and Mrs. Arthur Brewer.

Surprise Lodge Members

Alert Rebekah Lodge met in regular session last night in I. O. O. F. Hall. After t he business meeting the members were surprised when refreshments of bananas, cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Alfred McNeal, Mrs. J. F. Daniels, Mrs. Henry Trullinger, Mrs. S. S. Murdock, Mrs. E. R. Pyles, Mrs. Lucy Caudell, Mrs. W. D. Williams, and Miss Permelia Eads. The members received bouquets of cosmos and ferns in the lodge colors of pink and green as souvenirs. Fifty members were in attendance at the meeting.

Met at Gray Home

The September meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Gray, with Mrs. Lawrence Gault and Mrs. F. S. King as assisting hostesses. The Rev. S. P. Allison, pastor of the church, was present at the meeting and told of the meetings of the St. Joseph Presbytery and the foreign missions committee of the Synod of Missouri in St. Louis which he attended this week. Miss Helen Todd, president of the Westminster Guild, gave a talk on the work of the Guild. The program was concluded with two vocal solos by Miss Katherine Gray. A social hour and refreshments followed the program.

Douglas School Meeting.

A get-acquainted meeting was held Wednesday night at the Douglas school house, southeast of town. Games were played and at the close of the meeting punch was served by the teacher, Mrs. Buck and the children. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McDermitt, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Young, Mrs. Roy Foryce, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinness and daughters, Beverly and Roberta, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Partridge and daughters, Gladys, Marjory and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gallagher, Misses Edith and Nellie Partridge, Lena and Jennie Mozingo, Effie Foryce, and John Frances and Michael Gallagher, Austin and Claire Coffey, Ralph, Frances and John Robert Gallagher, Emery, Albert and Clifford Foryce, Edith Mozingo and Paul McDermit.

C. C. Club Entertains.

The C. C. Club entertained with a 7 o'clock dinner Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Staples for Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hiles of Hollywood, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Corken of Pueblo, Colo., who are visiting here. "Eph Green's Musical Club" in costume, gave a musical program during the evening. E. E. Corken gave a talk on Pueblo, and H. C. Hiles spoke the first piece he spoke at school when a boy, "March, March Away." J. S. Corken yodled, playing his own accompaniment. Members and former members of the club who were present were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hiles, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Corken, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Corken, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corken, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eggers and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Staples and son, Harold, Miss Nelle Harvey, Hubert Corken, Joe Kern, Wayne Nicholas, Phyllis and Helen May Corken. Invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. N. K. Manning of Colorado Springs, Colo., Misses Arvilla and Weltha Staples, Miss Ruth Jones, H. W. Pitkin of Sioux City, Iowa, Glenn Livengood of Castana, Iowa.—Burlington Junction Post.

Indoor Picnic

One of the most delightful meetings of Pansy Camp No. 333, Royal Neighbors of America, was held Thursday afternoon at Modern Woodman Hall. A short business session was held after which a program was given. The program was opened with singing of "Blest Be the Tie that Binds," followed by a fancy drill by the degree staff. Other numbers were piano solos by Mrs. Florence Westfall and Mildred Wallace; a selected reading by Doris Wallace; a memorial by Recorder Stiwalt of two of the late members, Mrs. Mary E. Cast and Mrs. Ida Lekey; and the undraping of the camp charter. At the close of the program delicious refreshments were served in cafeteria style. There were twenty-six members and twelve visitors present.

Merry Mingler Club.

Mrs. James Lacy was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Merry Mingler Club at her home east of Maryville. The members spent the time in tacking a comfort, after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Dale Marsh and Mrs. Lemuel Watkins. The club will be entertained October 12 at the home of Mrs. Anna Marsh. The members present were Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Russell Smock, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. A. B. Steins, Misses Minnie and Theresa Jeager, Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Miss Katherine Mercer, Miss Mina Armstrong, Miss Edith Marsh, Mrs. Dale Marsh, Mrs. Elva McElwee, Mrs. Joe Johnston, Mrs. Tom Tallon, Mrs. Lemuel Watkins and Mrs. Roy Schulte. Guests of the club were Mrs. Will Thornhill, Mrs. W. G. A. Edwards, Mrs. A. Nelson, Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Otho McDowell and son, Otho, Jr., Evelyn Marsh, Dora Belle McElwee, Betty Ann Schulte, George McElwee, Joe Johnston, A. A. Stone and James Lacy.

Thompson Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thompson entertained at dinner today at their home, 1119 North Mulberry street, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. King of Pickering, Mrs. J. D. Ford, Merrill King of Creston, Ia., M. E. Ford, and John and Carl King of Pickering.

Surprise Birthday Party.

A surprise party was given Tuesday evening in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Granville French Gray of Clearmont and his grandson, Garth Granville Gray. Games were played during the evening, Harvey Coakley winning the prize in the guessing game. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Mrs. Frank Gray, assisted by Mrs. Nettie Gray. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Skidmore, Mrs. Thomas Cox and children, Chloe, Ruth and Thomas, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray and son, Curtis Dean, Mrs. Hugh Purviance, Harvey Coakley, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr and children, Nettie, Zelma and Floyd Bird, Mrs. Nettie Gray and children, Buster, Garth and Shirley Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gray and Hazel, Jake and Charles Moore.

White Cloud Club.

The White Cloud Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Davison, south of Maryville. The members spent the afternoon in millinery work. Mrs. Ersal Carr was received as a new club member. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Frank Gray and Mrs. Joe Skidmore. The club will meet again next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Florence DeBord when the millinery work will be continued.

B. B. Club Meets.

The B. B. Club of the Scudder neighborhood held an all-day meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Ira Mozingo. At noon dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Ethel Mozingo. The day was spent in quilting and one quilt was nearly completed.

Guests at Wolcitt Home.

Miss Alice Peters of Burlington Junction, president of the Nodaway County W. C. T. U., was a luncheon guest yesterday of Mrs. S. S. Wolcott. Miss Ollie Carpenter and Mrs. Fred Humphrey of Clearmont were afternoon visitors at the Wolcott home.

MARYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM TO TARKIO

Are Playing Opening Game of the Season This Afternoon—Sixteen On the Squad

The football squad of the Maryville High School left at 9 o'clock this morning for Tarkio, where the team is playing the Tarkio High School in the first game of the season. There are sixteen men in the squad and they were accompanied by H. Frank Lawrence, coach.

Following are the men who went as members of the squad: Carstens, Ogden, Hunt, Jones, Bush, Mountjoy, Hartman, Curfman, O'Banion, Willoughby, Chick, Masters, Epperson, I. Miller, H. Miller and Cockayne.

Of these six men are letter men of last year's team, "Jiggs" Carstens and Homer Ogden are sure to hold the end positions although they are being crowded closely by other men for these places. "Buster" Hunt, of Little Rock, Jones, Mountjoy, Hartman, Curfman and Epperson are all rivals for the tackle and guard positions. All of these men have been showing up well in the practice.

Bush the center of last years second squad will probably start as center. In the back field the high school will have a combination of both weight and speed, and should be a formidable squad in both offense and defense. Willoughby will have little opposition for quarterback and his aids at half will be chosen from O'Banion, Cockayne, H. Miller, I. Miller and Chick. Masters will start as fullback.

The squad took a light workout last night in signal practice.

STILLMAN'S CONTENTIONS REJECTED BY REFEREE

Carmel, N. Y., Sept. 29—Contentions of James A. Stillman, multi-millionaire banker, that his wife is guilty of misconduct with Fred Beauvais, Indian guide, denying the legitimacy of his son, Guy, was rejected in a decision here by Referee Gleason today. The referee said the evidence showed that the banker is guilty of misconduct with Florence Leeds, whom Mrs. Stillman named in a counter action.

He Did Not Wear A Swell Suit Of Clothes

But John the Baptist Made a Big Hit Just the Same.

(By C. L. Ficklin, editor of the DeKalb County Herald, Maysville, Mo.)

We have left the Old Testament and jumped over a peroid of some four hundred years into the New Testament as a basis for the Sunday School lessons for the closing quarter of the year 1922. And we start out with the birth of John the Baptist.

Who was John the Baptist?

He was so important a figure and God had so important a work for him to do that God sent the angel Gabriel down to tell Zacharias about it. Gabriel said in his message that a son would be born to Zacharias and Elizabeth in their old age.

Zacharias did not know what to think about it. He hesitated to swallow the message. He wanted some proof, some evidence, The Bible says the he and his wife both were mighty good people, blameless. But he wanted the angel Gabriel to tell him how he might know that these things were true about the coming of the new son.

Some way or other you get the idea that this man Zacharias was not the man that Abraham was when God told Abraham under like conditions that a son would be born to him and Sarah, that man Abraham accepted the message without hesitant heart. And God glorified him.

And what happened to Zacharias?

He was struck dumb. And he stayed that way until after the boy was born.

They certainly needed Zacharias around the house when the boy arrived. God had told him what to name the boy. But the baby namers had gathered around the child and were about to fasten the name Zacharias on him. The father stepped in in time to stop that, and it would be a good idea if there were more people like him to set down a firm heel when the time comes to name the baby. I saw a cartoon the other day. The baby had come. The baby was a boy. I think he was already dressed in skirts that streamed down about a foot or two beyond his toes and old aunts and society sisters and neighboring ladies—or whoever it might have been— were holding the boy up saying they were going to name him Archelaus Archibald or something like that. The father stepped into the midst of this situation and disposed of the thing by saying, "His name is Bill." And the boy was saved in the nick of time.

When they gathered about this New Testament boy they tried to name him Zacharias. The daddy then asked for something to write on and he wrote: "His name is John."

And that was his name. God had decreed that this son should be named John and that he should have a wonderful mission on earth.

And so we this week take a look at this great man. He was the forerunner of Jesus. He stood on holy ground. He lived on the border line between the old dispensation and the new. He had a great work but he was humble about it like all great men are. And he declared that he was the opener of the way for one the latchet of whose shoes he was not worthy to stoop down and unloose. He was big in courage and big in simplicity and big in humbleheartedness. And that is a rare combination.

What does it take to make a great man for God anyhow? John the Baptist did not wear any Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes. He never wore a John B. Stetson hat, nor a light blue silk necktie. It didn't make any difference to him whether the new style called for salt and pepper suits or pegtop pants or pants with cuffs. If the young men of Judea wore pink suspenders he was not concerned about it; and when suspenders gave way to belts John the Baptist was already ahead of the crowd, for he had his leather girdle on. He wore camel's hair. And if the fashionable young ladies of Judea looked out of the windows of their homes and said that he was not up-to -date John the Baptist was not cast down by it. He knew that he was the most up-to-date man in all of that country—for he put the emphasis on the inside of the man and not on the outside of the man.

John the Baptist never was invited out to a six course dinner. He never worried about what spoon to pick up next at a high social function. He did not eat stuffed peppers or head lettuce with French dressing, and he never bothered his heart any about whether the ice cream had the legal amount of butterfat or not. John the Baptist did not put in his time fussing and stewing and fretting about spoons and forks and finger bowls and sauces and angel food cake and new dishes. He ate locusts and wild honey. His chief concern was not the things that people eat. His chief concern was the spirit of the man, not the body of the man.

John the Baptist put first things first and last things last. He had a proper sense of values.

As we begin the study of the Gospel by Luke it would be well for the student to be prepared to accept the whole story told by the writer. He knew what he was talking about and writing about. He was a learned man, a physician, a constant companion of the Apostle Paul, and inspired by the Holy Spirit to write down what he wrote.

There is a disposition among some people in this age to want to whittle away the miraculous from much of the Scriptures. There are smart alecks abroad in the land who figure that they can beat Luke telling the story that Luke told. So they revise it and leave in what they want left in and leave out what they want left out. Let us not tie any confidence to the smart alecks. The God you belive in is a great God, all powerful, all wise. The book you are studing came from Him. The miracles that are set down in this book were wrought through Him.

The lesson of this week starts with the miraculous. God steps through this lesson. God's power vitalizes this lesson. God's messenger talked to Zacharias. And so it is going to be all through this book. It is God's Book about God's Son who came to this world to reveal God's love.

Are you not proud that in the coming lessons your God is going to present to you the biggest fact in all history—His Son in whom alone you have hope?

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

"LOVELY WOMEN" AT EMPIRE THEATRE NEXT WEEK.

"Lovely Women," a musical comedy, will be played at the Empire Theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week by the Perry & Thorne Company. In the troup are eight persons, with ten girls in the line. The musical comedy will last for about an hour and motion pictures will be run besides. Manager Albert Kuehs of the Empire said this afternoon that the comedy was clean and that the company comes well recommended. The troup is playing now in Des Moines.

Farmers Ship 2 Loads Cattle.

E. C. Moore, shipper for the Farmers' Shipping Association, shipped this week two cars of cattle and three cars of hogs from Maryville for the members of the association. These cars were made up by small consignments from several farmers in this part of the county.

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In the market to buy 500 bushels of old corn.
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SORGHUM
For Sale
FRANK ROBERTS FROM ANDREW, WILL BE ON THE SQUARE SATURDAY WITH NEW SORGHUM FOR SALE.

SHERIFFS SALE IN PARTITION

I will sell, at public auction, at the front Court House door on October 14th, 1922, at 2 o'clock p. m., the George W. Workman property, located in northwest Maryville, described as,

All of Lots One (1) and Two (2), in Block Seventeen (17), in Saunders Addition to Maryville, Missouri.

Good house, two fine level lots, desirable location.

STEVE A. ROACH, Sheriff

Nodaway County School Day

Wednesday, October 11

Cash Prizes

Every school entering the parade Wednesday, October 11, at 2:30 p. m. will receive at least $5.00 in prize money, and the best eight floats will receive prizes as follows:

1ST	$75.00
2ND	$60.00
3RD	$50.00
4TH	$40.00
5TH	$30.00
6TH	$20.00
7TH	$15.00
8TH	$10.00

Nodaway Co.'s Biggest Day

The Largest Parade of Floats Ever Shown in the County.

The Chamber of Commerce, backed by the business men of Maryville, are furnishing an opportunity on October 11 for an exhibit of farm products and school work that will excel anything ever attempted in Nodaway—which has always been a leader in educational work. Briefly this plan is—for every RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT in Nodaway County to build on a wagon or truck a float on which they will display the farm products of their school district including exhibit of school work. These floats are to be entered in the name of the school.

Points On Which Floats Will Be Judged

The floats will be judged on three degrees of merit, as follows: First, on general appearance; second, on originality of conception expressed and it is left to the individual school and teacher to select the subject they wish to represent; third, quality of the exhibit, as agricultural, school handwork or displays of any sort in keeping with the general idea.

Special Prizes

To the school bringing float the farthest, one Toledo Steam Cooker, $12.00.—Cummins-Wray Furniture Co.

To the school bringing float the farthest, $10.00 in money.—Real Estate Bank.

To the school bringing float second farthest, sufficient curtain material for their school house.—Joe Cohn.

To the school bringing a float the third farthest, First Aid cabinet, complying with requirements of New York state law; value $10.00.—Koch Pharmacy.

To the school having the best display of corn and greatest variety, on their float, $10.00 in money.—Farmers Trust Company.

Two prizes for best composition.. See ad of Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co.

To the school having the best display of Vitalized Agriculture work, hand saw, square, hammer and jack plane, value $10.00.—E. C. Phares, Hardware and Lumber Co.

To the school bringing float and largest delegation from their district, one basketball, value $5.00.—Kuchs Bros., Jewelry.

To the school having the most original idea, for float, 10 school Records, value $7.50.—H. L. Raines, Jewelry.

To the school bringing float the farthest, one year's subscription to the Daily Democrat-Forum.

To the school bringing float the farthest, one year's subscription to the Maryville Tribune.

100 Piece Nodaway County Band

The Only Organization Of Its Kind In The State

DeMolay Drill Patrol

will put on exhibition drills

Stunts by the High Schools of County

The High Schools of the county will put on special entertainment features in the evening on the Court House lawn.

Moving Pictures of Parade

All floats entering the parade will be also in the "MOVIES" made of the activities on Nodaway County School Day and will be shown with "Agriculture in Nodaway County" at community meetings over the county.

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These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

FOR SALE—Residence with 6 rooms and bath, corner lot, located 5 blocks from square. Bargain if taken at once. Inquire this office. M31tf

FOR SALE—Papac ensilage cutter, No. 16; DeLaval separator No. 17; H. T. Wilson, Burlington Junction, Missouri. A19tf.

FOR SALE—New tops to fit your car. We guarantee a perfect fit and satisfaction. New tops and upholstering. Farmers Auto Supply Co., E. C. Bagby. 30tf

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland China boars, double immuned, good as grow. Jos. Jackson. S12tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred, barred rock roosters, big boned, $1.00 each. Phone Marion Graham, Bedison.

Corn huskers and mittens, Holt Supply Co. S23-O16

Wagon and stock scales, Holt Supply Co. S29-O9

FOR SALE — Apples, Jonathans, York Imperials, Huntsman Favorite, Ganos, Ben Davis. W. D. Hoshor, 8 miles south of town. 29-2*

FOR SALE—3 1917 Ford Tourings, 1 1918 Ford Sedan, 1 1919 Ford Touring with starter, 1 1921 Ford Touring with starter, 1 1918 Chevrolet Runabout, 1 slightly used truck body, 2 rebuilt Fordson Tractors practically as good as new at a price that will move them quick. Barmann Auto Co. 28

FOR SALE—Hard coal burner. Hanamo 238. 29-2*

FOR SALE—Turkey Red Seed Wheat. Farmers 6-15. Jess Smith. 26-28

FOR SALE—Pears, $1.00 per bu.; Jonathan apples, picked, 75c bu.; windfalls 40c, at orchard, Will Wells, Farmers phone 38-12. 25-30

FOR SALE—2 red weanling calves, J. A. Clark, 514 Prather Ave., Farmers 41-15. 26-2*

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, in first class condition, starter and demountable rims. Inquire 309 West Fourth street or Hanamo 709. 27-29*

FOR SALE — Pears and Jonathan apples. Hanamo 5442, Farmers 11-11. 27-29

FOR SALE—Complete outfits from $65.00 up. Radio Supply Co. 27-29

GET YOUR MASON Fruit Jars at Ray's Cash Grocery. 29-2

FOR SALE—Dry, hard cord wood. Farmers 46-15. 27-29

FOR SALE—Kieffer pears, $1.00 per bushel. 314 North Mulberry St. Han. 6714. 29-2*

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Modern 5 roomed apartment with hardwood floors and built in features. Case Furniture Exchange. J-8tf.

WANTED—Girl or middle aged lady to assist in general housework. Mrs. W. B. Gex, Graham. Graham phone 15-60. 23-29*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, in modern home, close in. Hanamo 3236. 28-30*

EXTERMINATE MITES WITH CARBOLINEUM, HOLT SUPPLY CO. 28-9

TO RENT—Modern room, 609 West First. Hanamo 4699. 28-30*

WANTED TO BUY APPLES—Also apple pickers wanted. Karl Zimmerman, Farmers phone 8-17. 27-29

RELIABLE STOCK of highest quality, fresh from the nursery at planting time, direct to our patrons; no agents' book to sign, and no commissions; that's our method. Murray Nurseries, Maryville. 8-tf

FOUND—purse containing sum of money. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this notice. 27-29

TO WANT ADV. PATRONS

The Democrat-Forum has been accepting want and small classified advertisements over the telephone as a matter of accomodation, but some of our patrons have not appreciated this service. Please bear in mind that these small ads are cash business and that, when they are accepted over the telephone, it is only as a matter of accommodation and with the understanding that payment for same will be brought or sent to this office within three days. The amounts are too small to justify the opening of an account or sending out collectors. (tf)

FOR RENT—Rooms. Inquire at 302 East First street. 27-29*

STRAYED—One roan and one red bull calf. J. D. Crawford, Ravenwood. 29-2

ROCK PORT advertises a three-day running race meet in this issue. The dates are October 5-6-7. There will be six races each day, band concerts and carnival attractions. 29

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Sept. 29.—CATTLE — Receipts, 5,700.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 8,500.

St. Louis, Sept. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,200.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500.

Kansas City, Sept. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,500.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

St. Joseph, Sept. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; top, $10.00; 10c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, pe rdoz.	28c
Hens, per lb	16c
Leghorn hens per lb.	13c
Leghorn springs, per lb	11c
Springs, per lb	14c
Roosters, per lb	5c
Butterfat, per lb	30c
Hides, per lb	9c

COUNTY W. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Discuss Scientific Temperance Instruction in the Schools—Miss Peters President

The Nodaway County organization of the W. C. T. U. held yesterday afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist Church in Maryville its annual conference and election of officers. Following are those elected: President, Miss Alice Peters, Burlington Junction; vice-president, Mrs. Flora Newlon, Clearmont, secretary, Miss Ollie Carpenter, Clearmont; treasurer, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Maryville; S. T. I. and correspondent, Mrs. S. S. Wolcott, Maryville.

Discussion was held of scientific temperance instruction in the public schools and of enforcement of the law. It was decided that the next meeting of the organization should be held some time later in August of next year and at Skidmore.

The following delegates were present at t he meeting: Miss Ollie Carpenter, Clearmont; Mrs. Fred Humphry, Clearmont; Miss Alice Peters, Burlington Junction; Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Clara Buck, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, Mrs. Yeo, and Mrs. S. S. Wolcott, all of Maryville.

Colorado Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Evans of Loveland, Colo., arrived in Maryville last night for a visit at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have been attending the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Des Moines and stopped here to visit relatives enroute home.

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We think a good time to sell.

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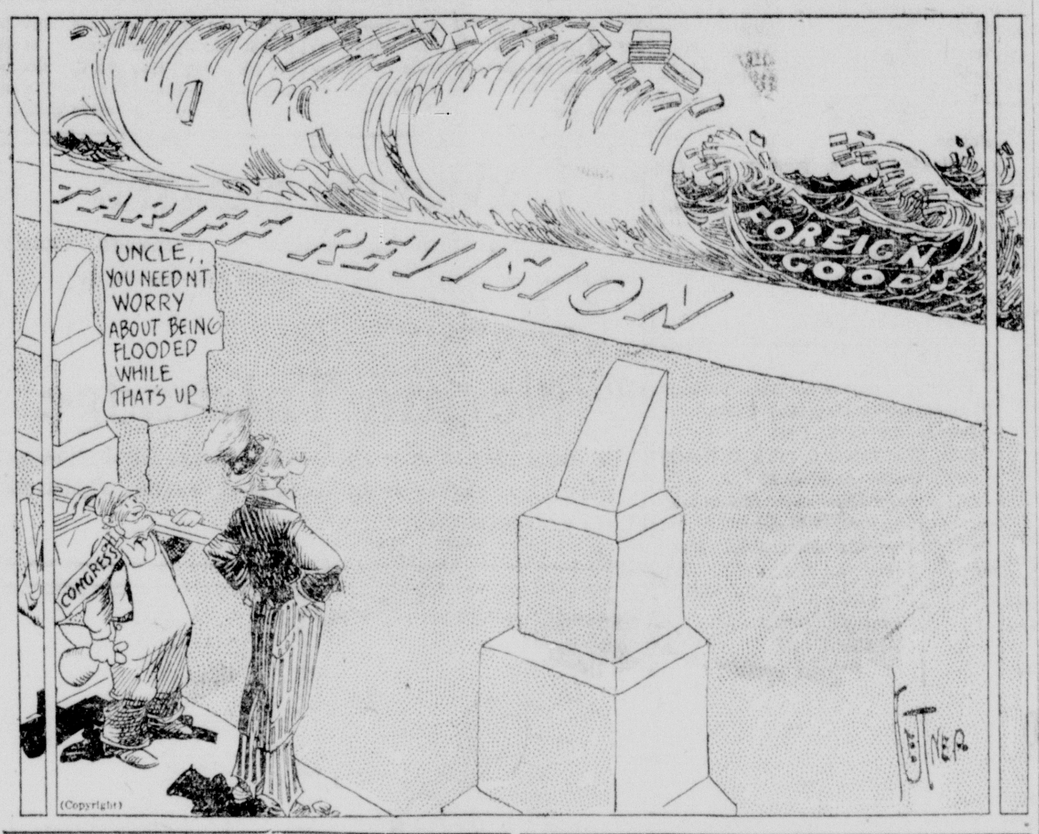

Grandview

Mrs. Chester Logan was shopping in Sheridan Thursday evening.

Mrs. James Jobe and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Bunker visited Mrs. Gail Boyd on Thursday afternoon.

Roy Hobson was in Grant City Friday evening, his daughter, Lois returned with him to spend the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan entertained several of their neighbors on Friday evening with a wiener roast. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ai Cline, Harry Willson and family, W D. Hart and family, Roy Hobson and family, Ray Roberts and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bunker, W. A. Wilson and family, Mrs. James Jobe, Mrs. T. F. Payne and children, A. C. Hart and family, John Payton, all departed at a late hour thanking Mr. and Mrs. Logan for such a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Arthur Bunker spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Proctor.

George and Gail Boyd helped George Lyle fill his silo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ai Cline spent Sunday with her father and mother, Ed Spargur in Grant City.

Mrs. J. M. Dinsmore spent Saturday with Walter Harts.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayworth, Mrs. E. E. Dowis were visiting at George Lyle's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne are moving to Allendale, Mo., this week, where Robert has a position as manager of a poultry house.

Mrs. A. C. and W. D. Hart attended Community Circle in Parnell Wednesday afternoon.

John Auten has rented the Ted Sanders farm and will occupy the house recently vacated by Lester Karriker.

Mrs. Homer Hines of Sheridan was calling on Mrs. Harry Willson Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Elliott returned home from a St. Joseph hospital Sunday evening.

DIGGING ON JACKSON TOWNSHIP DRAINAGE DISTRICT DITCH NOV. 1

At the meeting last Thursday of the Jackson Township Drainage District directors, the bonds of the district were sold to Thompson & Co., of St. Louis for $97.09½ at 5 per cent interest. The bonds are to mature in 20 years. The contract for digging the ditch was let to DeLong & Co., of Des Moines for 9¼ cents per cubic yard. The digging is to begin by Nov. 1, and is to be completed July 1, 1923. —Ravenwood Gazette.

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Closing Out Sale

As I have disposed of my farm and engaged in other business, I will hold a closing out sale at the farm 2½ miles southeast of Burlington Junction, on

Wednesday, October 4, 1922

beginning at 10:30 o'clock, the following described property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair well matched all purpose geldings, 7 and 8 years old; 1 iron gray Percheron mare, 3 years old, good worker; 1 brown mare 9 years old, weight about 1500, good worker and in foal to Percheron horse; 1 pair coming 3-year-old mules, good ones; 1 yearling mare mule; 1 suckling mule; 1 Shetland pony colt.

11 HEAD CATTLE—5 milk cows giving milk, 2 Jerseys and 3 Shorthorns; 2 fat yearling heifers; 4 calves.

125 HEAD HOGS—16 tried sows, 4 with pigs at side, others open; 14 Durocs, 2 Hampshires, Willhoite strain. Papers furnished; 1 pure bred yearling Poland-China boar; 65 spring shoats. Among this lot are some extra good gilts, both Durocs and Poland-Chinas; 15 August pigs.

GRAIN AND HAY—15 or 16 acres good corn in field; about 16 tons good timothy and clover hay in bale; some Sudan hay, first and second cuttings.

MISCELLANEOUS—2 sets work harness, bought new last spring, one a 1¾-inch Concord, good ones; other set chain traces; 2 farm wagon, one 1¾-inch Studebaker, one iron wheel with rack; nearly new McCormick binder, 7-foot cut; 1 McCormick mower; 1 hay rake; 1 nearly new Back Hawk corn planter with check wire, furrow openers, all complete; also soy bean and cow pea attachment; 2 cultivators, New Century riding, New Departure, walking; 1 disc harrow; one 3-section harrow; John Deere walking plow, 14-inch; John Deere 5-shovel plow; St. Joe lister; 1 buggy; 1 Ideal hog waterer with lamps; 2 hog oilers; bicycle grindstone; woven wire stretcher; some hedge posts; Galloway engine; power washing machine; pump jack; feed grinder; some medicated hog oil; gasoline and coal oil barrels.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE — 1 nearly new Copper-Clad range; 1 Illinois heater; 4-burner coal oil stove; trash burner; monkey laundry stove; large size oil heater; new Butterfly cream separator; 15-gallon water separator; refrigerator, table, chairs, and numerous other articles; 1920 Ford sedan if not sold before.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3 or 6 months on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

HOWARD KAUFMAN

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Lunch on Ground. R. N. Barber, Clerk.

THE REV. LANE DOUGLAS AND FAMILY AT PICKERING

Christian Church Congregation to Attend M. E. Church in Body—Other Pickering News

(By O. G. NULL).

The Rev. Lane Douglas, the new pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pickering, has arrived with his family and is occupying the parsonage there. Out of courtesy to Mr. Douglas the congregation of the Christian Church of Pickering will attend in a body the morning preaching services at 11 o'clock Sunday.

L. H. Gray and daughters, Phyllis and Marjorie returned last Sunday from Colorado, where they had gone ten days previous with Mrs. Gray, who is seeking relief from hay fever and asthma. Mrs. Gray came to Culverson, Neb., with them and will remain there for a while. She is considerably improved since starting on the trip.

Mrs. Sanford E. Jones and infant daughter were brought home from the St. Francis hospital last Sunday and are staying with Mrs. Jones parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null.

David Robb is at his place again in the Bank of Pickering after a trip to Muskogee and other Oklahoma towns. He visited the Ed Herbert family while at Muskogee and reports them as being well pleased with their new home. He attended the Bankers Convention in Kansas City on his way to Oklahoma.

Roy Clark and family returned Tuesday from a week's visit with the family of Mr. Clark's brother at Surprise, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Killion returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives at Bloomfield and other Iowa points. They also visited a few days with their old neighbors around Gaynor while on their two weeks' trip.

John Sutliff, a former Pickering boy, now living at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, spent a couple of days here the first of the week. He and his mother were on their way to Eureka Springs, Mo., and visited here and at Hopkins while they were waiting for some repair parts for their car.

The first number on the Lyceum Course, which is being sponsored by the Pickering High School, will be given next Monday evening in the Christian Church by the Imperial Concert Company, a trio of young ladies.

A number of our basketball boosters are planning going with the High School team to Skidmore Friday evening to witness the game between the Pickering and Skidmore teams.

A deal was consumated a few days ago whereby W. C. Alexander became the owner of the Porterfield property just west of his grocery store. Mr. Alexander will tear down a part of the building and if the condition of the remainder will justify the expense of repairing , it will be fixed up for rental purposes.

Bible School at 10 A. M. at the Christian Church next Sunday. At 11 A. M. the congregation will attend services at the M. E. Church as a courtesy to the new pastor, the Rev. Mr. Douglas. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The High Pope and The Lowly Jesus." At 6:30 P. M. a meeting will be held for the purpose of organizing a Christian Endeavor society.

Sunday School at 10 A. M. at the M. E. Church next Sunday. Preaching services by the pastor, Rev. Lane Douglas at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Revival services will start at the Pickering Christian Church, October 9, with the Rev. Carl Durkhart of Plattsburg as evangelist.

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EARLY MOULTING HENS ARE MOST PROFITABLE

They May Not Lay Quite as Much in Year but Lay More During the Winter Months

For years it has been thought that the early molting hens were good winter layers. Then came the culling system now in common use throughout Missouri. Time of molt was included in this system and shoud be included. However, many are recommending that early molters be sold as unprofitable. The Missouri State Poultry Experiment Station has found that the molt a safe guide to follow, as many early molting hens are good winter and yearly producers.

Mr. T. W. Noland, director of the Missouri Poultry Experiment Station, Mountain Grove, has carried on several experiments on which to base the foregoing statements.

In 1920, it was found that early molting hens, molting July 15, laid few less eggs for the year than the late molters, after October 15 but showed a greater profit due to better winter production.

In 1921-22, it was found that hens molting June 21 averaged 173.1 eggs per hen for the year, the trapnesting started June 23. The net returns received from eggs per hen for the year was $4.11. Feed costs amounted to $1.74, leaving a profit of $2.37 per hen.

200 Egg Hens

Two hens reached the 200 egg mark, one missed it by only two eggs, and another by only seven eggs. This is a larger percentage of 200 egg hens than usually found in the Station yards of hens in their second laying year.

Winter Eggs

Also the winter production, which is the most profitable production, should be carefully considered. A total of twenty-five eggs per hen for the months of November, December, January and February has often been used as a standard from which to judge the production of the flock. This pen averaged 39 eggs per hen for the four months. Two-thirds of the hens laid more than 25 eggs for that time.

The Lesson

Time of the molt is not a determining factor for winter or yearly egg production, so culling should not be done alone on the time of molt, but with careful consideration of all points. If hens molt early and have the other points and characteristics which classify them as culls, they should be sold on the market when they are discovered in the flock. Undoubtedly thousands of dollars have been lost by poultry raisers in Missouri by the mistaken idea that all early molting hens are culls.

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MANY EXHIBITS COMING TO FARMEKS TRUST COMPANY

Seven or Eight Varieties of Corn and a Lot of Apples Besides—To Hospital.

Many exhibits are coming in to the Farmers Trust Company for the corn show. A long table has been erected in the lobby of the bank and all exhibits are being placed there for public inspection. Geo. W. Wilfley, president of the bank said that so many friends and customers of the bank were bringing in specimens of their corn at various times that the bank decided to hold the show so that all might be brought in at the same time and the best corn properly awarded.

Seven or eight varieties have already been entered, including several of the red ears, which made the old husking bees famous. The dates set for the closing of entries was originally set for October 2, but has been extended to Saturday, October 7. Roy A. Kinnaird, farm agent, will judge the corn. Prizes range from $10 down for the best ears.

There are also several nice displays of apples. Among these are some Jonathans, York Imperials and Delicious by Carl Tarpley and Jenneting and Jonathans by Ed Babb. As all fruit on display will be given to the St. Francis Hospital, Mr. Wilfley has asked that everyone that can, to bring in exhibits of apples, pears or other fruit.

Renshaw Gets Good Radio Service.

Everett Renshaw states that he is getting some mighty good service on his new wireless outfit, a Westinghouse R. C. generator which he has just recently installed at his home. With cooler weather he says that he has very little trouble with static. This week he has received good musical selections from station C. K. C. K. at Regina, Canada, and from station W. G. Y. of the General Electric Company of Schenectady, New York.

No Clinic Tomorrow Afternoon.

The regular weekly clinic of the Nodaway County Health Department will be held tomorrow morning at the headquarters in the Tribune building, but the office will be closed in the afternoon, owing to the fact that the members of the department will be in Hopkins at the baby show.

Leaves for California.

C. J. Colden left this morning for his home in San Pedro, Cal., after an extended visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Clara Colden, in Wilcox. Mr. Colden was called here on account of the illness of his father, John W. Colden, who died September 16.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas left yesterday for Chillicothe, where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clark for a few days.

SEMI-PROS TO GO FOR WILCOX' HIDE AGAIN SUNDAY

With Change of Battery Maryville Will Try to Avenge Defeat of Last Sunday

The Maryville semi-professionals will make a second attempt to defeat the team of the Wilcox Baseball Club when the two teams hold their second swat fest Sunday afternoon at Wilcox. The players on each side are announced as being the same, with the exception of the pitcher for the semi-pros, and the catcher. In place of Carmichael, who stood on the mound last Sunday, it will be Carl Adams of St. Joseph Western League. It is probable that Black will catch.

In an eleven inning game between the two teams last Sunday Wilcox won by a score of 2 to 1,, taking thereby the gate receipts of the game amounting to $300. The two teams will play on the same basis Sunday. The game last Sunday has been pronounced as one of the best that was ever played in the county and a harder battle than ever is expected next Sunday.

Tom Stinson, one of the managers of the Maryville team, said this morning that the game would start promptly at 3 o'clock and that the management would see that the players were all there at that time.

Kinnen and Tobin will be the battery for Wilcox.

OFFICERS FOR THE M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL AT PICKERING

The regular meeting of the M. E. Sunday School of Pickering was held last night at the church and officers for the ensuing year were elected. The new officers will begin their duties next Sunday. Following are the officers: Superintendent, A. H. King; assistant superintendent, Ed Willey; secretary, Forest Hinton; assistant secretary, Forrest Smith; treasurer, W. E. Johnson; pianist, Miriam Geyer; superintendent primary department, Mrs. J. W. Geyer; superintendent temperance department, Miss Tresie King; superintendent of cradle roll, Miss Irvin Lock; superintendent of home department, Mrs. Watson; organist of primary department, Donald Johnson.

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The Democrat-Forum.

UNION SERVICES FOR THE REV. C. C. JAMES SUNDAY

Special Program Prepared as Welcome to New Pastor of First M. E. Church.

At 8 o'clock Sunday evening at the Main Street Methodist Church the union welcome service for the Rev. C. C. James, the new pastor of the church, will be conducted. It will be under the auspices of the Minister's Association.

Following is the program for the evening, with the Rev. S. P. Allison, president of the Minister's Association, presiding:

Organ-Violin Prelude—(Weiniawski) —Miss Lucile Airy, Prof. C. D. Kutschinski.

Hymn—Congregation.

Scripture Reading—Rev. J. A. Cooper.

Anthem, "Praise Ye the Father" (Gounod)—The Methodist Choir.

Prayer—Dr. O. L. Curl.

Solo, The Publican (Van DeWater) —Prof. Luther A. Richman.

Offertory, "Abendleid" (Schumann) —Miss Airy, Prof. Kutschinski.

Offertory—Miss Airy, Prof. Kutschinski.

Welcome to Dr. James from the Minister's Association—The Rev. S. P. Allison.

Sermon—The Rev. Mr. James.

Hymn—Congregation.

Benediction—The Rev. B. F. Cline.

As is the custom at such union services the offering will go to the treasury of the Minister's Association. It is by this means that funds for many union projects of the minister's and churches are secured.

BEARCATS ARE PRESENTED EACH WITH A CAP

The members of the State Teachers College football team and their coach, E. A. Maynor, were all presented with a cap today by the Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Company. When the team left for Springfield Coach Maynor was given an order on the St. Joseph Hat and Cap Company, and this morning the team went to this place and caps were picked out. They are gray in color and are all alike.

REDS AND WHITES ARE BATTLING AGAIN IN RUSSIA

Tokio, Sept. 29—Advices from Siberia state that fighting started between the Red forces and the White. The former is preparing to take Vladivostok when it is evacuated by the Japanese. Spaask is about to fall into the hands of the Chito forces, reports state.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT ONLY—Dustin Farnum in "STRANGE IDOLS."

Also one reel comedy. Night at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Saturday, Sept. 30—

Norma Talmadge

in "THE NEW MOON." Also two reel western, full of action and thrills. Two matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 22c. Night at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

"MEET ME AT MONTGOMERY-CUMMINS"

Boys in Rural Schools

We will give one all wool suit of clothes to the boy writing the best composition, of not less than 200 words, on "Why One Should Trade at Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co." All compositions must be in by Saturday, October 7, and must bear name, age, address and school of the writer.

Second prize will be one all wool sweater. Each contestant must register here in the store before or on the 11th of October, when prizes will be given away.

Prof. Somerville will select judges.

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Baseball

WILCOX VS. MARYVILLE SEMI-PROFESSIONALS at Wilcox

Sunday, October 1st

CARL ADAMS

St. Joseph Western League Pitcher

will be on the mound for Maryville.

These two teams played a great 11 inning game last Sunday. The immense crowd that witnessed the game claimed it to be the best game ever played in the county.

Game played on same basis as last Sunday's game—winner take all.

Game Called Promptly at 3 o'Clock.

Admission 50 Cents.

Special Chicken Dinners

LINVILLE HOTEL—
Wednesday, 6 p. m.; Sunday, 12:30 p. m.

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Gentlemen:

To any that are interested in a Durant car, will say I purchased a Durant Four the past summer and to date the cost has only been for gas and oil and she runs like a humming bird flies.

Last Monday took a trip from Kansas City to Higginsville, Mo., fifty-nine miles one way and made the round trip on six gallons of gas.

You will find it a very easy car to operate, fine on a short turn, easy to brake and clutch which makes it exceptionally convenient for a lady to handle and operate. Excellent hill car.

Yours respectfully,

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Our salesman will be glad to demonstrate this marvelous car.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I am leaving the farm, will sell at public auction, 3½ miles west of Ravenwood, 4 miles south and ½ west of Orrsburg, and 7½ miles east of Maryville, on

Monday, October 2nd

Beginning at 10 a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

4 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Two bay mares, weight 2300 lbs, well mated; span of matched horse mules, 4 years old, weight 2450 lbs.

18 HEAD OF CATTLE—Four extra good milk cows, two Shorthorn and two part Jersey, to freshen by sale day; 15 early spring calves—fourteen steers and one heifer.

47 HEAD OF HOGS—Six full blood Duroc-Jersey sows with pigs by side; 1 sow to farrow by sale day; 1 full blood Duroc-Jersey spring boar; 46 stock hogs, weight 110 lbs.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 10 tons clover and timothy hay in barn and about 150 bushels Curshion oats.

IMPLEMENTS—Almost new John Deere wagon, wagon and hay rack, buggy, go-devil, Osborn disc, 3-section harrow, McCormick 6-ft. mower, sulky rake, corn drill, Deere 14-inch walking plow, Sattley gang plow, bob sled, set of 1½-inch Concord harness, set of field harness, endgate seeder, garden plow, 2 double and 1 single hog houses, chicken coops, hog troughs, tank heater, steel wheelbarrow, 3-horse doubletree, some native lumber, some household goods, and many more articles. 100 White Wyandotte and White Rock chickens.

TERMS—All sums of $25 and under, cash; sums over that amount a credit of 3 or 6 months' time will be given, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

J. D. Doc. Crawford

Col. Chas. Evans, Auct. Leland Fryar, Clerk.
Lunch by Harmony Ladies' Aid.

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